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SHIRE ANNOUNCES FREE WORKSHOP - *BIRDS IN YOUR GARDEN*

If you've ever wondered what species of birds are regular visitors to your garden or local reserve, there is an opportunity to find out more at an upcoming workshop at Shire of Mundaring, titled Birds in Your Garden.

The workshop, scheduled for Saturday, 27 July at 9:15am-12:30pm, will be hosted by Rachel and Mike Green of the Darling Range Branch of the WA Naturalists Club.

The knowledgeable duo own a property in the hills area which has received a 'Land for Wildlife' status due to the number of birds recorded at the premises.

At the workshop, Rachel and Mike will provide assistance on what to look for when identifying various birds. They will discuss food sources, birdbaths, bird perches and bird boxes as well as a general overview about how to care for birds.

Mike has even promised to share the secret art of *"bird shushing"*, which he claims encourage them to move closer towards him.

Rachel will be armed with dozens of spectacular photographs and footage at the workshop to help people practise their skills in identifying different birds.

Attendees are invited to bring along photos of birds they have spotted in the area and would like to know more about.

If you would like to attend the Birds in Your Garden workshop, please book your ticket by clicking on the following link: www.eventbrite.com.au/e/birds-in-your-garden-workshop-tickets-59934457576

The workshop will be held at Shire of Mundaring Civic Centre, 7000 Great Eastern Highway, Mundaring.

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Membership for the July 2019/June 2020 year is now due and remains at $30.

(Membership continues to give you free access to film nights and reduced fees for market stallholders).

Your financial support allows us to pay for necessary outgoings such as electricity, water and insurance.

This allows your Chidlow Progress Association to focus their efforts on other rewarding community projects & activities

Skate Park Project
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Markets
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You can pay by cash or cheque (made out to the Chidlow Progress Association)
See Neil & Teresa at the Post Office or Kim on Film Night or Abbie on Market Day at the Hall
Direct debit is also available via Bendigo Bank: BSB 633 000 Account: 117364984 *with your full name as description*.

Thank you kindly,
Kim Graham (Mob: 0433 570 733 / gathelot-kim@westnet.com.au)
Committee, Chidlow Progress Association

Chidlow Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade

All Training and New Membership applications on Saturday Mornings.

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CHIDLOW PROGRESS ASSOCIATION INC.

CHIDLOW matters...

What's been happening?

Annual Report 2019
Once again we've produced a printed Annual Report, an e-copy of which is available FREE to members, so make that a good reason to become a member *(for only $2 p.a.)* If you want to know what we get up to throughout the year, what we've got planned and all about our wonderful bunch of enthusiastic committee members, *this is the booklet to read.*

Membership Drive
We are currently carrying out a Membership Drive. So if you're not already a card-carrying member of the CPA, watch out for our flyer and *PLEASE JOIN UP.*

CPA Meetings change of time
You're welcome to join us at one of our general meetings held monthly at the Chidlow Hall. Should you wish to do so, please note the meeting time has changed from 6.30pm to 7.00pm.

Activities: *Regular:*
Film club: Every second Friday night, 7.00pm for 7.30pm start. Details are displayed in a poster at the Post Office.
Pilates classes: Kat Hardwick *(0411 167 611)* Thursday mornings 9.15am-10.15am.
NB: Classes are held only during school terms.
Yoga classes: Tarja *(0409 683 412)* Monday night, *(6.30pm-7.45pm)*.
Don't forget to bring a mat and maybe a light rug for relaxation.
Please follow Tarja on her Facebook page: *Chidlow & Mahogany Creek Yoga.*

Upcoming:
Markets: Saturday, 20 July, 2018, 9.00am-2.00pm. Christmas-in-July theme.
Contact: Abbie Connel 0403 685 247 or email on chidlowhallmarketday@hotmail.com
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https://www.facebook.com/Chidlowmatters/

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ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS TO ASSIST WITH THE CAROLS ON THE GREEN 2019

This event is becoming increasingly popular especially with the addition of the markets last year.
If we want to continue to add, to improve, we are going to need more volunteers to keep this event alive.
Are you willing to help?

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO TAKE PART IN THIS FUN-LOVING POPULAR CHRISTMAS EVENT

PLEASE CONTACT:
PETER HACKETTon
0417 924 754

If you would like to recieve the Chidlow Chatter via email, please send in your email address to chidlowchatter@skymesh.com.au, and you will be added to the e-list.

ADVERTISING & ARTICLES

Closing Date for all advertising and articles is the 28th of each month
For all enquires, please contact ***David Palmer : 0417 097 825***
Email: chidlowchatter@skymesh.com.au ***Address : P.O. Box 165, Chidlow, W.A. 6556***
Cheques can be made payable to Chidlow Chatter or David Palmer ABN: 30 550 545 102

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All Letters to the Editor must have name and address.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Chidlow Fire Brigade
Meetings on the Third Tuesday of EVERY Month @ 7.30pm

Chidlow Progress Assoc. & Chidlow Hall Meetings
to be held on the **4th Tuesday of each month, 7.00pm.** *Your community support is greatly needed & appreciated.*

Chidlow Community Church
Chidlow Recreation Centre
Sundays 9.30 – 11.30 followed by morning tea - **All welcome.**

VISION Community Radio
Chidlow & Gidgegannup – ***87.6 FM***
Wooroloo ***87.8 FM***

Chidlow Spinners & Craft Group
Chidlow Rec Centre
Monday Mornings 9 - 12noon

Chidlow Markets
20th July 2019...
9am - 2pm. @ Chidlow Hall

Chidlow District RSL
Next General Meeting
SUNDAY 14/07/19
at Chidlow Hall @10.00am

Chidlow Family Playgroup
is now open Tuesday & Thursday mornings 9am-11am. For more info contact Holly on 0420 388 375, email chidlowplaygroup@gmail.com *or find us on Facebook.*

Aglow International Gidgegannup Branch
1st Thursday each month @ 10am.
At Recreation Hall, Percy Cullen Oval, Gidgegannup *(off Toodyay Road).*

C.W.A.of WA (Inc)
Mt Helena-Parkerville Branch meets 3rd Wednesday of each month at 9.30am. *CWA Hall, Keane St East, Mt Helena. Visitors most welcome. Contact Secretary Kerry: 0409 641 017*

Glen Forrest Bowling Club
invites ladies to become members of our small friendly club. For information call : Jenny Hawkins 9295 3420 or Wilma Achterkamp 9298 8905 mob 0409 292 565.

Mundaring Tennis Club
We welcome players to come & join us on Wednesday mornings at 9am & Thursday night under our new lights at 7pm. Contact June on 0408 098 077

Mundaring Men's Shed
is now open Monday to Fridays from 9am to 3pm & open on the last Saturday of the month from 9am-12 noon *'Sing Along'* sessions at the Men's Shed, Jacoby Street, Mundaring...*Free Entry.* Alternate Thursdays @ 7.30pm. *Everyone Welcome*

Mundaring Prime Movers
is now held in THE ARENA at the ***MUNDARING RECREATION GROUND MONDAYS & THURSDAYS 9.30-10.30am***
PRIME MOVERS is an exercise group available to both men & women over 50yrs of age. Fees are: $17 annual m/ship & $3 per session with annual donation of $7.00 for the Kitty. For further information, *please ring Rhonda on - 0419 924 085*

Mundaring Probus
Mundaring Probus meets at the Glen Forest Sporting Club on the second Monday of each month at 10am

Mundaring Seniors Carpet Bowls
Enjoy a fun filled afternoon at the Hub, 8 Craig Street Mundaring, Monday or Wednesday, at 12-30pm, & try your hand at Carpet Bowls. All equipment provided, flat soled shoes the only requirement. Friendly instruction provided, also a cuppa and biscuit too. Try three visits for free. For info, contact Aileen Moore 9454 5054 Mal Hedges 0478 213 311

Mundaring Visitor Centre
is open 7 days a week, Mon - Sat 9.30am - 4pm and 10am - 2.30pm Sundays and most Public Holidays.

Mundaring Sunday Markets
Second Sunday of each month Nichol Street Mundaring.

The Hills Choir
The Hills Choir is looking for Sopranos, Altos, Tenors and Basses over 16 years to join us. We sing a range of sacred and secular music in four parts. We practice on Mondays from 7:30pm to 9:30pm at the Uniting Church in Stoneville Road, Mundaring. Please phone Margie on 9295 6103, email us at thehillschoir@gmail.com or visit our website www.hillschoir.org.au We look forward to welcoming you.

Just A Piece-Textile Kinship
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Contact Musical Director Storme for more information.
E:info@storme.com.au ***M: 0402 322 184***

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CHIDLOW CATS

BASKETBALL

End of Season Windup

Sunday 4 August 2019

from 2pm to 5pm at the Chidlow Hall.

ALL members of Chidlow Cats Basketball Club who played throughout 2019 Winter and 2018/19 Summer season are invited to our end of season Presentation and Summer Registration Day:

- Winter Season Presentations
- Registrations for 2019/2020 Summer Season
- Afternoon Tea provided

Bookings essential,
please confirm your attendance with your coach, team manager or contact ChidlowCats@hotmail.com for more information.

A special thank you to the Chidlow Progress Association for the use of the venue.

Ask us about our exciting refurbishment project for the Chidlow Hard Courts on the day thanks to the AUSports funding!

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CHIDLOW VOLUNTEER FIRE BRIGADE

NEW MEMBERS ALWAYS WELCOME!

MEETINGS at Chidlow and Wooroloo Brigades are held on the third Tuesday of every month.

Chidlow Fire Station is Open Saturday mornings 9am - 11am.

This is an opportunity for any local residents to pop in and discuss volunteering opportunities and bushfire readiness.

FOR ALL FIRES please ring "000"

Our members are on standby and will be paged by the DFES call centre.

Chidlow Fire Station Number:

9572 3016

(Saturday 9am to 11am)

Wooroloo Fire Station Number:

9573 1166

(Saturday 9am to 11am)

VOLUNTEER FIRE BRIGADE CHIDLOW

CURRENT SITUATION:

NO PERMIT REQUIRED

1st June to 30th September

FIRE BREAKS

(Please maintain from 1st November to 31st March)

Your firebreaks should be 3 metres wide and 4 metres high and have room to turn in to and around corners . ..if our truck cannot drive on your firebreak we may not be able to manage fire on your property!

Chidlow Bushfire Brigade is very proud to be able to claim Rod Blyth as a fantastic member of our team. He recently received his award for 40 years of volunteering in the Bushire Service. We asked Rod to tell us his story.

Rod says: *I've been in fire brigades for about 50 years, though in the early days it wasn't an official thing like it is now. We had a farm at Bodallin, and the firetruck was kept at our place, and basically anyone who was available would jump on the truck and go as soon as we saw smoke on the horizon.*

I finished school when I was around 17, and came back to work on the farm then, and I started fighting fires straight away. Of course, it wasn't like it is now, with lots of training, weekly schedules and so on. Our training was done by going to fires. The shire bought the trucks for us, and we fitted them out and maintained them ourselves in those early days.

One of our first trucks was an old British Humber. We had a lot of grass fires up there, and the Humber would collect grass underneath in the axles as we drove along the burning edges, and once we had to stop on the way home from a fire and put out the flames that were coming from underneath the Humber. We then had to go back and put out the verge as well, where we'd set fire to the grass as we drove along in our flaming truck!

I was not only a firefighter, but also secretary of Bodallin brigade for 20 years, *...continued on page 6*

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and my father before me. What I love best about being in a brigade is the camaraderie, and when we retired from the farm and came to live in Chidlow 12 years ago, we knew nobody, so I thought, "I know, I'll go join the local brigade." It's what I knew how to do, and I knew I'd meet and get to know great people. That is exactly how it has been. The fires down here are different and fighting forest fires instead of grass fires took some getting used to, but the good people are the same. Yep, the camaraderie is the best thing about it.

Rod Close

Darlington Bush & Variety Walk Series - 2019

Sunday 14 July
Grevillia Mycumbene, Mundaring

This walk covering a distance of 8.3km is conducted entirely in excellent bushlands on wide, flat trails and narrow bush tracks.
Walk commences at 9am. Duration approx. 2.5-3 hours. Cost is $5 *(payable on the walking day).*
No pets, bikes or children under 12.
Bookings and enquiries:
Tel: Cliff Burns on 9299 6696

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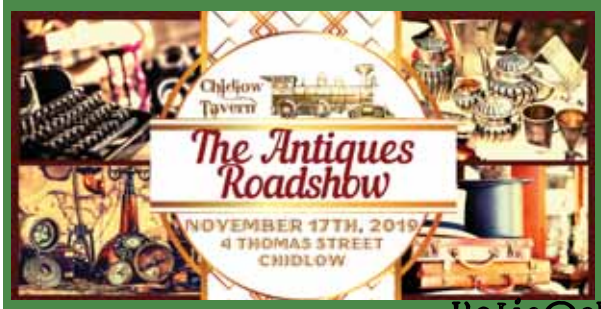

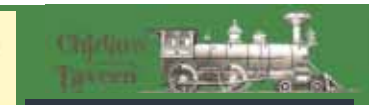

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MUNDARING ARTS CENTRE & MIDLAND JUNCTION ARTS CENTRE

JULY SCHOOL HOLIDAY ART CLUB

Join in the fun this school holidays with Art Club workshops held at both Mundaring and Midland Junction Arts Centres. Make clay birdhouses with Lee Woodcock, create a plant inspired printed zine with Carly Lynch, illustrate self-portraits with Gabby Loo and paint wildlife with Jae Criddle.

Jae-Criddle-ground-parrot-art-club

Workshops run from 9-12 July at Mundaring Arts Centre and 16-19 July at Midland Junction Arts Centre. Prices start at just $22.50 or book into 4 Art Club workshops for $99.

MUNDARING ARTS CENTRE

Two new exhibitions on display at Mundaring Arts Centre from 20 July - 8 September explore the landscape of dementia from the perspective of a loved one.

The distinctive solo exhibitions by local artist Joan Johnson and Brisbane based artist Kate Hallen underscore the impact of the condition on both the individual and their families. These artists tell their unique stories with distinctively different outcomes, Johnson working with sculpture and Hallen paint; to present a multi-layered and emotive response to a condition which affects many.

MIDLAND JUNCTION ARTS CENTRE

Deborah Ralph-Kafarela is working with the local Midland community as an artist in focus until 10 August as part of her project Multa Plenty to develop a series of artworks and installations that challenge cultural values of rough sleeping and homelessness.

Multa Plenty aims to address issues of equality and displacement, by recognizing abundance and emphasising that there is more than enough to go around.

Also on display until 10 August is the City of Swan's annual youth exhibition, Hypervision which showcases the talent of the region's youth.

Mundaring Arts Centre | 7190 Great Eastern Hwy *(corner Nichol St)*
9295 3991 | mundaringartscentre.com.au
Tue - Fri 10am - 5pm, Sat & Sun 11am - 3pm. Closed Public Holidays.

Midland Junction Arts Centre | 276 Great Eastern Hwy *(corner Cale St)*
9250 8062 | midlandjunctionartscentre.com.au
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Shire of Mundaring libraries

Story Time Sessions

Wooroloo Mobile Library would like to know if you would be interested in bringing your children along to Story Time sessions for 2 to 5 year-olds when the mobile library visits every three weeks. Sessions are free, and would run for about 30 minutes and include stories, songs and a simple craft activity. Please let us know by calling Mundaring Library on 9290 6780 or emailing *mills@mundaring.wa.gov.au.* If there is enough interest, sessions would begin early in the new school term.

Wooroloo Mobile Library's next three visits are Tuesday 23 July, Tuesday 13 August, and Tuesday 13 September. The mobile library is open from 9am to 11am at the Wooroloo Hall. Items for all ages are available for loan, including DVDs, audiobooks, fiction and non-fiction books. This is a free service provided by the Shire of Mundaring Libraries. Everyone is welcome to use the mobile library. Light refreshments are available for a gold coin donation. Come along, take some time to browse and enjoy a cuppa.

Upcoming Talks

The libraries will be hosting some talks with an emphasis on history during National Family History Month in August. The first presenter is Val Carter who will be speaking in early August at Mundaring about her memoir, A Piece of Good Land, about farming in Badgingarra. Bookings will be available later this month.

Mundaring-in-Transition and Shire of Mundaring Libraries are pleased to present Seed Saving Techniques with Fiona Blackham from Gaia Permaculture. There are two sessions, and bookings are essential. For Tuesday 30 July at 5.45 book at *https://300719mun.eventbrite.com.au*, and for Thursday 1 August book at *https://010819mun.eventbrite.com.au.*

Sign up for the libraries eNewsletter to make sure you don't miss an email invitation to events, as well as follow us on Facebook and check the Library Events Calendar for details.

BUSH SKILLS FOR THE HILLS

To register for the Bush Skills for the Hills workshops head to http://ERCMPenvironment.eventbrite.com. If you have any further queries, contact the EMRC on (08) 9424 2216 or environment@emrc.org.au.

Fungi in Focus

When: Saturday, 27 July 2019, 10:00am to 2:00pm

Where: Margaret Forrest Centre, Park Road, John Forrest National Park, Hovea

Participants will learn about common fungi families that exist in our local bushland and the important roles they play in the functioning of healthy ecosystems. Following an introduction to fungi, participants will take a guided walk into the John Forrest National Park to learn how and where to search for fungi, in order to bring back specimens to identify. The workshop presenter, Roz Hart, is Vice President of Fungimap Inc., an Australia-wide fungi organisation, and is also a member of WA Naturalists' Club Fungi Study Group.

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Saturday 20th July 10am-12noon
This will be an easy walk through local bushland, email for meeting place.

Monthly talk
Friday 26th July 7.30pm:
by Mike Lyons.
"The Fortescue Valley Wetlands".
Mike has conducted plot-based regional vegetation surveys all over the state but has a particular interest in wetland and marsh environments. This part of the Pilbara is not so well known.
Octagonal Hall 52 McGlew Road, Glen Forrest

For more information about any of these events:
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$25 for a two course meal. Pay on the day. RSVP - 16th July to book for catering purposes. *Ring Doris to book on 9573 6436.*

Committee Meeting at 9.30am – Wednesday 10th July - Any item for the agenda must be submitted to the Secretary one week prior to the meeting.

Carpet Bowls - Wednesday 3rd & 17th July
Carpet Bowls are held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. Held in the Wundowie Lesser Hall from 9am to about 12 noon. Everyone is most welcome and you do not have to be a member of Silver Wings to play. *Ring Kaye Towle on 0400 95 95 95 for further information.*

Craft & Social Day - Wednesday 24th July - 10am to 2pm - Bring along your knitting or crochet of beanies, scarves etc. OR just come for a chat. Craft is on the 4th Wednesday of the month held in the Lesser Hall, Wundowie. Cost is $2 per person. We knit, crochet, sew, whatever, or just come to socialize. *Ring Margaret Darwood 0407 066 433 for info.*

BINGO -Wednesday, 29th July, 10am - 2pm
Light refreshments, Tea and Coffee supplied - BYO lunch. Bingo Books $2.50 each - Flyers $3.00 each.
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2019 – 2020 Membership Fees are due on 1st July. Single $20 and Couples $30.
Payable any Wednesday 9am to 12 noon at the Lesser Hall, Wundowie
OR Silver Wings Seniors' Club Inc. Post Office Box 441, Wundowie, 6560
OR by Direct Debit to Silver Wings bank account - *Ring Caroline 0488 288 379 for account details.*
You need to be financial to be able to vote at the Annual General Meeting.
We thank you for your continued support - *Doris Coombs President - 9573 6436.*

The Annual General Meeting is on 14th August 2019 at 1.30pm in the Lesser Hall Wundowie, then please join us, after the A.G.M. for the a special afternoon tea.
Nominations open to both men and women for Secretary and Vice President along with four committee members - 3 with a two year term and 1 for a one year term.
Please ask each person for their permission to be nominated and each nomination needs to be seconded.
Nominations can be mailed to Silver Wings Seniors' Club Inc. at P.O. Box 441, Wundowie, 6560
OR handed to President, Doris Coombs before the A.G.M.,
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OR prior to commencement of the Annual General Meeting on Wednesday 14th August at 1.30pm.

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Ann Ashman, Zena Cassidy, Margaret Darwood, Barbara Bell, Christine Ducie, Jules Anderson, Peter Coombs and Joy Brown.
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News & Up Coming Events
Margaret apologies that The Whispers won't be printed this month but the answer to the last riddle is a COIN.

Trash and Treasure – Thank you to everyone for your kind donations toward the Cancer Foundation and goods for sale to support your club. Although we made a small profit, we may have made more if we had a better attendance. The delicious morning tea of two scones, jam and cream with coffee and tea was a very successful and enjoyed by all.

Quairading Quiz Day – *We are very clever people in Wundowie and districts, WE CAME THIRD!!* We always have a beaut morning and afternoon tea with a choice of four or five soups and crusty bread. There are spot prizes of toffees etc., so we do rather well. *Don't forget to book early for next year.*

Northam Shire - Community Transport operating on Thursdays
Leaving Wundowie at 9.05am to Northam via Bakers Hill and Clackline and return for $2. *Book at the Library on 9573 6205 or with Shire on 9690 1600.*
Don't forget you can borrow/swap books; available in the office of the Lesser Hall.

USED POSTAGE STAMPS:
Used postage stamps can be dropped off in the Silver Wings Office and placed in the small box on the desk for Joan Pitts. The RED CROSS sell the stamps, using the money for their charitable work throughout the world. *PLEASE* leave a border around the stamp. Joan extends her thanks for the donation of a huge envelope of stamps. She is very busy processing them to pass on to the Red Cross. *Thanks, Joan.*

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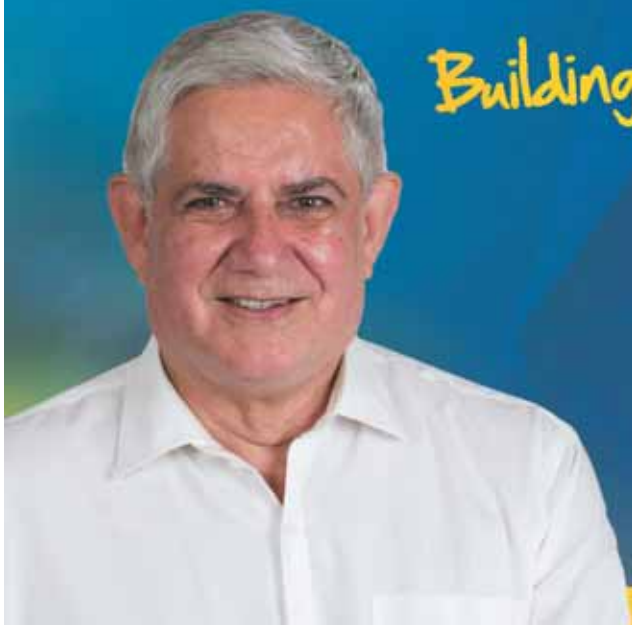

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Saturday 6 July - Saturday 20 July

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All the activities below are all held at Perth Hills Discovery Centre, 380 Allen Road, Mundaring *(near Mundaring Weir),* with the exception of the Frog forage** on 20 July, which will be at John Forrest National Park.

For a full list of activities throughout Perth visit the Nearer to Nature website:- *www.dpaw.wa.gov.au/get-involved/nearer-to-nature/community.*

N2N Warm up for Winter
Monday 8 July
• Cadet ranger
(ages 7-12) 10am-2pm
Thursday 11 July
• Whoo's who
(ages 4-7) 10am-11.30am
Sunday 14 July
• Mighty mushrooms
(ages 5+) 9.30am-11.30am

N2N Warm up for Winter
Tuesday 16 July
• Bush survival
(ages 7-13) 10am-3pm
Friday 19 July
• Enchanted bush environment
(ages 3-7) 10am-11.30am
• Senior Ranger
(ages 7-12) 10am-3pm
Saturday 20 July
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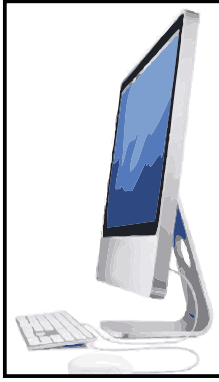

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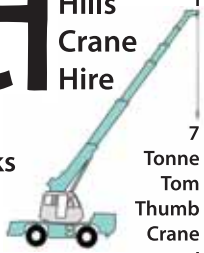

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